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Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—Under the caption of "The Assurance of Victory," the *Tribune* treats of the Maine election as follows: "It is possible that the majority may rise to a hundred or two above 16,000. It can hardly fall many hundreds below. The reduction from the majority in 1868 may, therefore, be reckoned as about 9,500. We hold up the result in Maine for inspiration and assurance, as we next turn it with confidence and well-nigh absolute to Pennsylvania, Ohio, and Indiana. Just consider the facts. Five have gained about 4½ per cent of the entire republican vote in Maine. In the great Central States all politicians know that our gains are sure to be far greater. But count them at the same rate since proximate. The Pennsylvania election in October, 1867, was carried for the Grant State ticket by 5,677 majority. The gain of a hundred would have defeated Hartranft, then running for Auditor General. Five thousand votes are hardly 1½ per cent of the 340,000 Republicans cast at that time. A change of less than 1½ per cent would defeat Governor Geary in 1869, his majority being only 4,026. In other words, with less than one-third the change in Pennsylvania in October that we have already had in Maine, we shall sweep the Keystone State. We doubt that the change will be greater in Ohio or Indiana. The majority for Governor Hayes, in 1868, was carried by the Republicans by less than 1,000 majority for Governor Baker. A change of one-thirtieth of 1 per cent would have wiped out this majority. In 1870 the Democrats carried State by 3,468 majority. In New York, the last important election carried by the Republicans was in 1866, when Governor Fenton was elected by 50,464 majority over Hoffman. A change of less than two per cent of the 468,158 votes cast for Fenton would have given the State to Hoffman. We have not pursue the examination in detail. The same percentage will give us Alabama, California, and Connecticut; and from every State in the republican column, carry us triumphantly through. Liberal Republicans, let Maine be to your inspiration. She shows that success is within your grasp." The *Herald* contributor, writing from Concord, N. H., says: "Both Democrats and Liberal Republicans are united in their efforts, and determined to poll at least 3,000 majority for their candidates in November. The State was carried by 5,000 last year, a Republican majority of only 700. If Indiana or Pennsylvania goes in favor of Greeley, New Hampshire will poll 5,000 majority in the same direction."

The country between Charles O'Conor and the Committee of seven Bourbon Straights, which commenced yesterday with no definite result, has continued to-day without fixed conclusion. The Committee is composed of New Yorkers, except W. F. Morgan, of Indiana, and Major Byington, of Iowa. Mr. O'Conor is curtly reticent with reporters, and the Committee refuses to admit men of the press to their presence. O'Conor's friends say that he early overtures with a firm refusal, but he was informed that two addresses had been prepared, a short one declining, and a long one accepting. The Committee held a subsequent consultation over the two addresses, and acquainted that preferred by Judge Barrett and adopted Monday. Mr. O'Conor was duly bombarded to-day with Greeley's congratulations. Many persons think that the late elections show that Greeley would certainly be defeated, and the only possibility of success is in his withdrawal. Greeley would then could control a large percentage of Democrats who would vote for Grant in preference to Greeley. It was stated positively to-day that influential members of Greeley organizations have professed themselves ready to support Mr. O'Conor if nominated. Mr. O'Conor's friends say that if it could be shown to his satisfaction that any considerable number of citizens of New York felt as they might in the case alleged, a meeting was held to prepare a circular for signatures. Letters poured in all the planks in the Louisville platform, and pledges the signers to support and vote for their influence for nominations at Louisville. The paper is now ready, and when it has obtained a sufficient number of signatures it will be again presented to O'Conor. It is probable that a long-winded farce, for not a solitary influential Greeley man has been heard of who will sign the document. On the contrary, speech to-day from Judge Jos. R. Flanders, who was one of the foremost in the Kentucky movement. In conversation with a reporter, to-day, Judge Flanders repudiated the whole scheme. He said it was plainly to be seen that the gathering was under the direction of the Greeley managers, and he was worthy of high position from his spotless private character, his extensive knowledge of public affairs, his brilliant talent, and wise forecast, is presented for the Governorship of this State, a gentleman of pure record and admirable fitness is wanted for the second place on the ticket. With the latter I have not formed a personal acquaintance; but with your distinguished leader, Mr. Hendricks, it was my good fortune to serve in the Senate of the United States, and can bear my testimony to the fact that few, if any there are, will have a more enthusiastic reputation for fairness, clearness, vigor of speech and action, promptfulness in the discharge of his elevated office, and unswerving devotion to the general interests of his country. Although he acknowledged allegiance to a great party that differed widely from the two Administrations of Mr. Lincoln in the conduct of the war, yet whenever a question came up on voting of supplies for any essential requisite to maintain the honor of the nation in the great contest in which it was involved, he could never hesitate, but sustained the Executive of the Union by his vote and his counsel. Now that the war is ended, and we are returned to the policies of peace, public virtues and public necessary personal government is the creed to be enforced. No man can really say that of all your public men, I know of none more fitted by his past to be trusted with the Executive office of the great State of Indiana. His eminent services in the Senate, outside of all political considerations, justify it, and the influence which such a decision at this time will have on National affairs demands it."

Mr. Koerner followed in German.

SENATOR TRUMBULL AT CAMBRIDGE, ILL.—AN IMMENSE AND ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

CAMBRIDGE, Ill., Sept. 11.—Cambridge was, today, more populous than ever before in the history. Fully 5,000 people assembled to hear the eminent speakers who were expected to address them. General Black and Judge Trumbull were unavoidably absent, but Judge Trumbull had the vast audience for more than two hours. At Galva, where he had to wait several hours to make the connection with the train, he was entertained by Mr. Laflin. Just before train time he was there serenaded by the Galva Brass Band, and the vast throng pressed to them, he marched, in company with a large concourse of citizens, to the depot. All the way both sides of the street were crowded with the beauty and chivalry of Galva. The train was behind time, and, being called out by the crowd, Judge Trumbull made a few remarks, which were enthusiastically received. The train was then attached to the train, and when it left Galva all were so crowded that the Judge could not even find standing room in the baggage car, and in this he came to Cambridge, accompanied by the Galva band. He reached the station in a driving rain, which deterred many from the procession. His was, nevertheless, met by a large delegation of the prominent citizens, by the Cambridge band, and a large number of ladies and gentlemen on horseback. The column formed, led by Marshal Gear, with a number of ladies and gentlemen in carriages, besides a large number of ladies and gentlemen on horseback. The column moved, led by the Cambridge band, followed by the carriage containing Senator Trumbull and friends, then a large number of ladies and gentlemen in carriages, and a large number on horseback, and in all a procession of fully 1,000 persons. The procession marched to the residence of Hon. Wm. Kent, where Senator Trumbull was received by a large concourse of ladies and gentlemen, and addressed them from the balcony of the residence. The procession then

THE VIELE CHILDREN.

Abduction of a Child by Its Mother.

From the New York Express, Sept. 5.

The following description of the abduction of the child of General Viele is written by one of the participants in the affair:

On Wednesday last the shores of Lake Mahopac were the scene of an episode in real life and of a character most thoroughly melodramatic. Our readers may well remember the litigation regarding the Viele children and the conduct of Judge Barnard therein, who, having made an order for the mother to have the custody of the two youngest children, neutralized its effect by forbidding it to be entered.

By arrangement between the parties, a Connecticut divorce was agreed upon, Mrs. Viele being unwilling to manufacture testimony as to the residence required by the laws of that State.

By some blunder of the lawyers nothing was stated in the decree as to the guardianship of the children, and only one child, the youngest boy, was given to Mrs. Viele after the divorce. After escaping a trap laid to steal him from her, Mrs. Viele took him to Europe, and while there heard of her husband's marriage. Without unnecessary publicity, Mrs. Viele wrote to New York that she would have the clergyman deposed for violating the canons of the Church by solemnizing the marriage, and that she would return at once to remove her daughter.

Arrived in New York (per Vandalia), Mrs. Viele took into her confidence two lady friends of good standing and two gentlemen. One of them, rumor has it, is an officer high in the United States Army; the other, it is believed, is a well-known lawyer of this city.

Thursday night week the two gentlemen, appropriately disguised, took a run to Lake Mahopac, where General Viele resides with his newly-wedded wife and former wife's children.

The house of General Viele was carefully surveyed by the tourists, who learned that a Rocky Mountain bear was kept chained in the rear garden. One of our couriers, having some acquaintance with General Viele, called upon him and soon made friends with him, his new wife, and the little girl for whose abduction these elaborate preparations were being made. To keep up their character our tourists finished up with a pedestrian excursion, and informing the clerk of the Gregory House, while paying their bills, of their intention to return the following Tuesday, they trudged off to Peekskill on foot.

Returning to New York, a pressing business engagement was made with General Viele for the following Wednesday (Sept. 4), at the General's office.

On the evening of Wednesday, the 4th of September, our military friend fulfilled his promise at the Gregory House, and the next morning watched the General off by the train. This he telegraphed to New York, and the friends from New York left Dutchess County, our military friend and one of the lady friends before referred to.

The military sentiment met them at the depot in the shape of a carriage, and the party, with many incumbrances, for Mrs. Viele designed taking a long journey—what an spy word was the old Roman umbrella!—started round the west shore of the lake to General Viele's residence, avoiding the village by this detour, and coming upon a picnic on their road. Arrived at the General's, the lawyer got down, walked to the door, and asked for the General, and he being out, for Mrs. Viele (No. 2). She, as it happened, was out driving, whereupon our lawyer, describing himself as [illegible] under a recent (imaginary) act of the Legislature, stated that a lady whose fine wedding dress[illegible] would furnish him with certificates of the vaccination of any children there under 12 years of age, and no certificates being forthcoming, the executive officer of the State became entitled to him; he learnedly put on his spectacles; the right arm being shown, said the mark was so faint that it had been effaced; "it is the other arm," said Miss Viele, the oldest sister, and showed the left arm, which our doctor for the nonce declared had a very good mark. It was extremely well; jotted down on his tablets the name and age of the little girl, said that the mark was very good, kissed her sweetly and asked the name of the child, said to be 7 years old. She was out with Mrs. Viele (No. 2), would be home in half an hour—well, said the doctor, I'll make some other calls; my time is of course very short, and I'll be back by half-past 2. Stepping back to his carriage, he drove around—returned in 20 minutes. Miss Viele appeared, the child, reading a little book by the way, in hand, whom she took into the parlor to unfasten her dress and exhibit her arm. Our "doctor" made the agreed on signal—military friend and Mrs. Viele rushed out, and the moment they reached the door—"Mrs. Viele," said our doctor-lawyer, "here is your child." "My darling," said the yearning mother, and quick as thought she lifted the child in her arms, and ran with her toward the carriage. But Miss Viele, though taken by surprise, proved herself a heroine. One can only regret that her courage and presence of mind were not displayed upon more proper side. She flew after her mother, but was stopped by the two gentlemen, on whom she furiously turned, tearing the coat of one, biting a lawyer, and inflicting a severe blow upon the forehead of the other. Thinking Mrs. Viele had sufficient start, the gentlemen now let go their hold, and again Miss Viele darted after her mother and sister, and would have caught them had not the lawyer seized her around the waist. Miss Viele's foot tripped, and she fell heavily on the ground, bringing the gentlemen above her on the ground, but seizing his bat—a very peculiar one, borrowed expressly to mislead—she carried it off in triumph.

The party drove off, the mother kissing her child frantically, and for a time all went merry as a marriage bell, except that nothing would induce the driver to hasten his horses, he evidently deeming whether all was right, and apparently wishing himself and his team well out of the business.

Presently our lady friend cried out, "We are being followed!" Our lawyer, jumping over the carriage, saw a man coming on at a hard gallop with a revolver in hand, and whispered to a military friend to draw his revolver. Arrived at the carriage, and handling the revolver at the gentleman, demanded the child. The military gentleman, coolly presenting his piece, said, "In a threatening tone, 'Give up that child!'" A shot was fired, and down it went; the horseman galloping on to the picnic party, and appealing to them for aid. Some three or four stepped into the road to stop the carriage, though it was not necessary, as the key pulled up, and refused to proceed till the matter was settled.

Several threatening faces now approached the carriage, and demanded the return of the child. "Never!" said Mrs. General Viele, drawing herself up; "never! it is my child, and you shall eat my heart out before you take it."

The lawyer jumped down, and, telling Mrs. Viele to appeal to the women, he went among the men and addressed them.

The battle was won, but, meanwhile, Mrs. Viele had been addressing the mothers there, and one of them, a Mrs. Forster, stepped out, said to her, "You keep the child." "I will, while I have life," said Mrs. Viele passionately; and the lawyer, turning to the good woman, asked her to speak to the men, which she did with effect.

The noble-looking man before referred to, standing six feet four and broad in proportion, and used to command men's hands and feet, "Drive on!" still the driver hesitated; the lawyer jumped into the carriage and urged him on; military friend ordered him on; the horsemen with the revolver (having since disarmed) made motion to the left with his horses' heads, but was held back by the noble-looking man and another—one on each side holding him by the collar, and the lawyer drawing his sword-stick, told him that, if he again dared to stop the carriage, he would put the sword through him.

The party drove on to Peekskill, but, reflecting that they would have to wait over an hour and a half for the train, during which the crowd and fuss might be got up, orders were given to the driver to go on to Montrose.

This he declared his horses could not do, and, some interest being felt of him, he was sent on to the depot with some of the party, while the rest took another carriage and proceeded to Garrison's, where they got safely on board the cars.

Sufficient time was given to General Viele to procure a *habeas*, and, at the same time, an intimation was given him of the nature of the defence which could be raised, and, no step being taken, for which none being heard of, Mrs. Viele and her child left to-day for Europe.

Tichborne and Anderson.

The starving tour of the claimant," Sir Roger Tichborne, Mr. Arthur Orton, has been remarkably successful. Large audiences have tittered out to see the aspirant to a baronetcy, and thus contributed to the Tichborne defence fund, while the sympathizing and curious public who lately attended a public meeting in Oxford Music Hall were delighted at finding the notorious "Wizard of the North"—Professor Anderson—as one of the speakers. The wizard did not appear on this occasion for the purpose of legerdemain, but merely to relate what he knew about Tom da Castro and Arthur Orton, and if his story turns out to be well-founded, it must have a most astounding effect upon the fate of this unparalleled case. Professor Anderson said that he knew both De Castro and Orton at Castermaine, Australia, in 1859; and he asked Mr. Orton if he recollected a penny which he had drawn up from his dictation. It set forth that Professor Anderson was on a tour with his entertainment of magic in Australia, when, in the year 1859, he halted at Castlemaine. He played for nights at the Theatre Royal, and, on the last two nights of his season, he announced himself to play from the Scottish drama of "Rob Roy." They had only time to get the gold day, and, not knowing how to spend his time, he appealed to the lessee of the theatre, who advised him that two Englishmen, one of whom he understood to be the son of a Baronet, were being tried for horse-stealing at the Court House. He accordingly went to the Court House, but the trial was just over, and the two prisoners, Tom de Castro and Arthur Orton, were being congratulated on their acquittal by a number of friends outside the Court House. He joined them, and accepted the general invitation given by De Castro to have a "shout," or, as the Americans would say, a "liquor-up," at the hotel on the opposite side of the way. After the first "shout" they had another at his expense, and then another at somebody else's expense, and another after that. In the conversation he mentioned who he was, and, pointing to a whip which De Castro held in his hand, asked him for the loan of it to enable him to play his part in true character. De Castro made him a present of the whip, and he has had it in his possession to this day. Then turning towards the clamorous and worthy Proprietor, with true dramatic effect, said, "That this is Tom de Castro is beyond a doubt. That he is not Arthur Orton is also beyond a doubt, and I consider I have fulfilled a duty I owe to an oppressed man, the meeting with whom many thousands of miles away from England caused me much pleasure to come here to do the simple purpose of making the short statement I have done, and if he chooses he can say whether what I have stated is correct. The claimant rose, and while confirming the circumstances explained that the reason why he was charged with horse-stealing was that the owner of one of a number of horses he and Orton put up for sale by auction happened to be present, and not knowing that it had been purchased out of the pound from the Government, whose certificate he had in his pocket at the time, gave both him and Orton into custody. The incident's exciting immense cheering.

THE CASS COUNTY, ILL., HOMICIDE.

Statement by an Eye-Witness.

Ashland, Cass Co., Ill. (Sept. 7), Correspondence of the Missouri, St. Louis Republican.

As there have been various reports of the late sad and unfortunate affair at Virginia, which has terminated in the death of Mr. E. D. Milstead, at the hands of Capt. Dillon, bachelor Circuit Clerk of Cass County, some of which are calculated to prejudice the minds of the people, both here and in adjoining counties, where both are well known, I, your correspondent (who was an eye-witness) sends the following impartial account of the whole transaction, believing that it will not only subserve the interests of justice, but will be a source of satisfaction to the stricken families and immediate friends of both the parties, and also correct the partisan rumors set afloat by Republican scourers.

It appears that the deceased had in his possession a confidential letter, written by C. L. Differbacher to Dr. Snyder, of Virginia, in which Differbacher made some reflections on the political honesty of the deceased. Some time after the writing of this letter, Dr. Snyder and Differbacher disagreed in their respective candidates for Representative in this Senatorial District, when Snyder made public the contents of the private letter referred to, and it is believed it came into the hands of the deceased. On the day of the homicide, Thursday, Sept. 5, the parties met in the fair grounds in Virginia, under the following circumstances: Mr. Milstead, accompanied by Mr. W. Easley, of Cash, and Mr. P. A. J. Russell, of Menard, were engaged in conversation at the southeast corner of the amphitheatre when the deceased, Capt. Dillon, came up and, without saying a word, struck Milstead a heavy blow with a pistol, which knocked him to his knees. Dillon then struck him a second blow, which prostrated him, and then commenced firing at him as he lay on the ground. Milstead, who was unarmed, attempted to crawl off, when Dillon followed him, and, placing the pistol to his head, fired the fatal shot. Milstead lived but a few minutes after the shot was fired. Dillon, after the shooting, walked off the ground, and, meeting Mr. Easley, said to him, "I have killed Milstead, and I want you to go and get me a lawyer." Easley replied that he did not think it necessary, as he had killed Milstead in self-defence, and that he would not go. Dillon then went to the house of Mr. Easley, and, meeting Mrs. Easley, said to her, "I have killed Milstead, and I want you to get me a lawyer." Mrs. Easley replied that she would not go, whereupon Dillon went himself. Dillon then went to the house of Mr. Thomas Stevens, and, meeting Mrs. Stevens, said to her, "I have killed Milstead, and I want you to get me a lawyer." Mrs. Stevens went to a spring for a pail of water, and, while she was gone, Mary heard a step above. She ascended the stairs, and, on entering the room above, met Rettenier. He demanded that she should at once marry him, and she, as before, refused. On this he instantly shot her and died. The pistol was aimed at her breast, but she turned as the the triggr was pulled and received the ball in her arm. Mary was found by her mother weltering in blood, but only superficially hurt. The family of their only neighbor were instantly at hand, and to one of them, Miss Schenck, Mary said: "There must be a letter. He generally leaves one. Don't you look for it?" Miss Schenck looked on the hall table, and there, truly enough, was a folded paper. It was addressed to Mary's parents, and was from Rettenier. In it he stated his reason for killing the girl. She had met him, he said, as early as 1863, and promised to marry him, and had repeated the promise. She recently, after she had learned to color her word. Life without her was to him a hell, and so he was resolved to destroy her and then himself. Pursuit of the assassin was promptly made, and the search has been kept up ever since. A large reward is now offered for his apprehension. Nothing, however, has been seen or heard of him, nor can a single living soul be found who has ever had any knowledge of the man. Hence a new doubt, and Mr. Stafford does not hesitate to say that he thinks Miss Mary inflicted the pistol-wound on herself. Mary recovered her consciousness and relieved herself of a disagreeable suspicion. The physician, on the other hand, Dr. Burbeck, has told the reporter of the Troy Times that the shot was fired for one reasons, have been fired by some one other than the girl herself. The matter is said to have caused great excitement in Montgomery County and in Virginia, where "Rettenier" is or is not a myth, is more energetically debated than ever.

THE [illegible] MISFORTUNE.

One of the Saddest Incidents of the Disaster.

From the Utica Herald, Sept. 6.

On the 28th of August, at the home of the bride, in Sharon, Schoharie County, N. Y., Mr. George W. Howard, of Rome, was married to Miss Nance Engle, and started to visit friends in the East. They left the City of New York on the fated steamer, the Metis. Mr. Howard says that about four o'clock on the morning of Friday he heard an excited noise in the cabin of the steamer, which induced him to believe that all was not right. He opened the state-room door to find the cabin filled with excited passengers, ladies screaming, and crying for help. He then went back to his state room, opened the window and looked out, but could see nothing save the rough sea and the driving rain. He told his wife that there was no danger, and that they had better prepare for leaving the boat, if obliged to do so. Just at this time there came an officer of the boat in to the cabin, and said all was all right. Mr. Howard went to the window of his room again, and could see that various articles were being thrown from the upper deck of the boat into the water. Fearful that there was danger, he procured a life-preserver and put it on to his wife, also his coat. About this time he saw a boat with four men in it pass around the forward part of the steamer, he supposed at the time that they were going to examine in regard to the extent of the damage. The next boat lowered was capsized, and he saw one man jump in. The boat he found afterward life-preserver, put it on, and prepared to leave the sinking steamer by getting one of the window and standing on the outside, while his wife was standing on a chair near the window in the state-room. They remained in this position some eight or ten minutes. The boat was sinking very fast, so that the water had risen to the place on which Mr. Howard was standing. He then took his wife out of the window preparatory to leaving the boat. Just at this moment a lady to the window and requested Mr. Howard to assist her out, which he did, but says that he does not know what became of her afterwards. He then took his wife in his arms and jumped from the boat into the water. When they came to the surface they secured four chairs lashed together. Also a raft of boards about three feet square; upon this he placed his wife. They remained in this condition about one-half hour, when he saw a plank floating near them. While trying to secure this, a wave passed over them and washed Mrs. Howard from off the raft. He then tried to get her on his raft, but she was so far exhausted as to be able only to place one arm about his neck and rest her head on his shoulder, while with the other she held on to the chairs, he holding fast with the chairs also. They remained in this condition about one hour, all of which time they did not know whether they were drifting to or from the land. The waves were high and running very high, so that every few moments they were under water. Mrs. Howard, not being able to hold her breath while under water, was often compelled to let go every wave, and become very much exhausted and chilled, and it was evident that she could not endure the exposure much longer. They were in this condition about four hours, when a wave washed her from her husband. It was some minutes before he could reach her, and when he did she was dead. It was now daylight, and he saw the shore at Watch Hill, about a mile distant.

He then secured the body of his wife and started for the shore. When he had made about half the distance, the wind changed and the tide set out so that he found it impossible to reach the shore with the body of his wife. There being no prospect of immediate assistance, and his own strength fast failing him, he resolved to try and save his own life. Knowing that the body of his wife would float, and would in all probability be picked up, he let it go and endeavored to swim to the shore. He found that he could make no headway against wind and tide, and was carried farther away every moment. Conscious of his situation, he used the best means to survive himself until he could be picked up by boats thus engaged. At about half-past 11 o'clock in the forenoon a life-boat came to him, and he was rescued from his perilous condition, but did not reach the shore until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The body of his wife was brought back to her home in Sharon, and there buried. The funeral was attended by a large circle of friends and relatives, made sad by the sheer carelessness of those who are entrusted with the lives of the travelling public.

Mr. Howard saved nothing but his pantaloons and night-shirt, and the coat put on his wife.

A Baxter Street Synagogue.

Overhead uncovered beams, and the walls to the right and left of whitewashed brick, but the want was no longer felt, and in many places had been worn off by shoulders rubbed against it for years. At the further end there was a rude partition of unplaned planks through whose chinks came the sound of hammering and was offered a view of whiskey-barrels beyond, and the whole paraphernalia of a [illegible]. Although to the wall [illegible] was a wretched lantern, in which a smoky whale-oil lamp burned dimly. It was the "Eternal Light," a perpetually burning lamp, symbolical of the state-room." They remained in this position some eight or ten minutes. The boat was sinking very fast, so that the water had risen to the place on which Mr. Howard was standing. He then took his wife out of the window preparatory to leaving the boat. Just at this moments a lady to the window and requested Mr. Howard to assist her out, which he did, but says that he does not know what became of her afterwards. He then took his wife in his arms and jumped from the boat into the water. When they came to the surface they secured four chairs lashed together. Also a raft of boards about three feet square; upon this he placed his wife. They remained in this condition about one-half hour, when he saw a plank floating near them. While trying to secure this, a wave passed over them and washed Mrs. Howard from off the raft. He then tried to get her on his raft, but she was so far exhausted as to be able only to place one arm about his neck and rest her head on his shoulder, while with the other she held on to the chairs, he holding fast with the chairs also. They remained in this condition about one hour, all of which time they did not know whether they were drifting to or from the land. The waves were high and running very high, so that every few moments they were under water. Mrs. Howard, not being able to hold her breath while under water, was often compelled to let go every wave, and become very much exhausted and chilled, and it was evident that she could not endure the exposure much longer. They were in this condition about four hours, when a wave washed her from her husband. It was some minutes before he could reach her, and when he did she was dead. It was now daylight, and he saw the shore at Watch Hill, about a mile distant.

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A New Form of Imposture.

From the New York Times.

In a romantic corner of Montgomery County, New York, there lives a young lady who has lately become the heroine of some very peculiar adventures. Her home is on the banks of the Mohawk, at a point where the river bathes the very skirts of the mountains, about a mile east of what is called Spraker's Station. The neighborhood is exceedingly picturesque and romantic, and the house and mill of Thomas Stevens, the father of the young lady in question, is in the loveliest and wildest part of it. Mary Stevens is described as of bright intellect and handsome person, the pride of the local press, she "has taught school, writes poetry, and is a member of the church,—for character being in all parts beyond reproach." Such, in brief, is the description of her father, her mother, and herself, has been well thought of—partly because of hitherto irreproachable character, partly because of misfortune; for her only brother was killed in the national service, and her only sister followed him soon after to the grave. Now, at some time during the past week a statement in her friends of a remarkable nature. She said that for some years she had been persecuted by a man whose name is Cecile D. Rettenier, of New York, some six weeks before her revelation, had worried her almost constantly. Miss Stevens declared, by forcing interviews and letters upon her. She described him as of imposing appearance, about 35 years of age, tall, and of sombre and mysterious bearing. It was that habit to come upon her unexpectedly in her walks about the lonely neighborhood, and the general object of his visitations was that of insisting upon Mary's becoming his wife. 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NAPOLEON IN ENGLAND.

Scene at a Brighton Church—A Picture of English Flunkeyism.

Brighton Correspondence of the New York World.

The city has numerous churches, including a number of nonconformists. Among the latter is one of St. Mary Magdalene, an unpretending little Catholic Church, where on last Sunday morning "His Imperial Majesty, the Emperor of the French," or "her Imperial Majesty, the Empress of the French," and "the Prince Imperial," as the British Association publishes them in its Journal of Membership, attended High Mass. At an early hour a crowd had gathered about the church doors to see the entrance of the Imperial party. A woman in the vestibule pulled the bell-rope with one hand, and held a basket of coin in the other. "What is the admission?" we asked. "Anything you please, miss, only sixpence is the lowest." By the time mass began the church was full to overflowing, and seats were to be obtained at no price. The ex-Emperor, ex-Empress and son entered at a side door, and were given seats near the altar. Before they came Napoleon studiously participated in all the external acts of devotion. The altar boys swung their censors, the singers squealed hideously, the priest talked about doing good, and the crowd, people stood up, gazing out their necks to catch glimpses of the back of the heads of the illustrious, and very little real worship was enjoyed. Outside the church were Napoleon's liveries. Hundreds of people had gathered to see what was to be seen. Napoleon's coachman, with his brown-lined baronche, and gold-plated harness on his left arm for shield, and shining over mettled iron gray horses, commanded the principal entrance. At the side door stood the footman and a policeman, apparently vacant-minded. Presently the door was open. The footman kept up a fierce harangue with one poorly clad man who stood quite in the way, but he had been standing in Chatelaine braids at the back. Louis and his son were plainly dressed in black, with stove-pipe hats. The ex-Emperor, taken altogether, looked as if he was a peculiarly vicious looking creature. The back of his head and neck is animal in the extreme, his face Mephistophelic. The "Prince" is very right. He ward as the Emperor, has a very black hair, which he wears parted down the middle. His complexion is dark, his eyes very light gray or blue; his nose, which is large at the base, is quite unlike his father's in convex, and his large ears stand out from his head in complete contrast to the ex-Emperor. His look and smile, although disciplined to the utmost, is very unpleasant to see. Now and then an Englishman is to be met who would die sooner than cheer "His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of the French." Although the vast majority of Englishmen, at least in Brighton, seem anxious to shout him back on the French throne, if that were possible. I met one of the former days of my visit, a man who declared that if he were asked to point out the two persons who had done the most mischief in the world, he should say the Emperor and the Empress of the French. I stated that there was not a drop of Napoleon Bonaparte blood in the veins of either the father or son, and that neither of the present rulers of France is the legitimate heir to the throne. The latter, they say, came to the surface, they secured four chairs lashed together. Also a raft of boards about three feet square; upon this he placed his wife. They remained in this condition about one-half hour, when he saw a plank floating near them. While trying to secure this, a wave passed over them and washed Mrs. Howard from off the raft. He then tried to get her on his raft, but she was so far exhausted as to be able only to place one arm about his neck and rest her head on his shoulder, while with the other she held on to the chairs, he holding fast with the chairs also. They remained in this condition about one hour, all of which time they did not know whether they were drifting to or from the land. The waves were high and running very high, so that every few moments they were under water. Mrs. Howard, not being able to hold her breath while under water, was often compelled to let go every wave, and become very much exhausted and chilled, and it was evident that she could not endure the exposure much longer. They were in this condition about four hours, when a wave washed her from her husband. It was some minutes before he could reach her, and when he did she was dead. It was now daylight, and he saw the shore at Watch Hill, about a mile distant.

He then secured the body of his wife and started for the shore. When he had made about half the distance, the wind changed and the tide set out so that he found it impossible to reach the shore with the body of his wife. There being no prospect of immediate assistance, and his own strength fast failing him, he resolved to try and save his own life. Knowing that the body of his wife would float, and would in all probability be picked up, he let it go and endeavored to swim to the shore. He found that he could make no headway against wind and tide, and was carried farther away every moment. Conscious of his situation, he used the best means to survive himself until he could be picked up by boats thus engaged. At about half-past 11 o'clock in the forenoon a life-boat came to him, and he was rescued from his perilous condition, but did not reach the shore until 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The body of his wife was brought back to her home in Sharon, and there buried. The funeral was attended by a large circle of friends and relatives, made sad by the sheer carelessness of those who are entrusted with the lives of the travelling public.

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A Baxter Street Synagogue.

Overhead uncovered beams, and the walls to the right and left of whitewashed brick, but the want was no longer felt, and in many places had been worn off by shoulders rubbed against it for years. At the further end there was a rude partition of unplaned planks through whose chinks came the sound of hammering and was offered a view of whiskey-barrels beyond, and the whole paraphernalia of a [illegible]. Although to the wall [illegible] was a wretched lantern, in which a smoky whale-oil lamp burned dimly. It was the "Eternal Light," a perpetually burning lamp, symbolical of the state-room." They remained in this position some eight or ten minutes. The boat was sinking very fast, so that the water had risen to the place on which Mr. Howard was standing. He then took his wife out of the window preparatory to leaving the boat. Just at this moments a lady to the window and requested Mr. Howard to assist her out, which he did, but says that he does not know what became of her afterwards. He then took his wife in his arms and jumped from the boat into the water. When they came to the surface they secured four chairs lashed together. Also a raft of boards about three feet square; upon this he placed his wife. They remained in this condition about one-half hour, when he saw a plank floating near them. While trying to secure this, a wave passed over them and washed Mrs. Howard from off the raft. He then tried to get her on his raft, but she was so far exhausted as to be able only to place one arm about his neck and rest her head on his shoulder, while with the other she held on to the chairs, he holding fast with the chairs also. They remained in this condition about one hour, all of which time they did not know whether they were drifting to or from the land. The waves were high and running very high, so that every few moments they were under water. Mrs. Howard, not being able to hold her breath while under water, was often compelled to let go every wave, and become very much exhausted and chilled, and it was evident that she could not endure the exposure much longer. They were in this condition about four hours, when a wave washed her from her husband. It was some minutes before he could reach her, and when he did she was dead. It was now daylight, and he saw the shore at Watch Hill, about a mile distant.

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A Destructive Storm.

Churches Blown Down, Houses Demolished, and Crops Destroyed.

From the Lawrence (Kan.) Journal, Sept. 8.

At about 2:30 o'clock yesterday, a storm struck the city, which was terrific while it lasted, by a strong wind and heavy rain, and considerable but not unusual thunder and lightning. It seems, from the best accounts we have been able to obtain at this writing, that the storm was very destructive elsewhere.

It is said to have passed Coffeyville said point as far north as Iola without doing much damage. Its destructive effects were first visible at Colony, which place is reported utterly destroyed.

The storm reached Garnett at 2 p. m., and lasted an hour. The Catholic church at Garnett was blown down, unroofing several houses, and moved others from their foundations. Several houses are reported blown in this county around Garnett. Chimneys were swept clean in the town.

Striking Ottawa, the hurricane demolished two unfinished churches, the Catholic and Congregational, also blew down four dwelling houses. Houses were uncovered, and sheds and out-buildings were destroyed. All the members of a family named Lester were injured. Mrs. Lester had an arm and leg broken, a child had a leg broken, and the other members of the family were badly hurt.

The wind mills of the Leavenworth, Lawrence & Galveston Railroad were blown to stems at Garnett and Ottawa, and the station-house at Wellsville.

The loss to hay and grain in the country is enormous.

Mr. F. F. Baker, who came from Olathe yesterday afternoon, reports the gale as treedendous during the Missouri Valley. Trees were blown down across the track, and it seemed as if the train would be blown from the track. We shall probably hear bad news from that quarter.

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AMBOY, ILL.—Governor Koerner and the Hon. J. Y. Bestead will speak at Amboy, Lee County, Ill., on Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 2 p. m.

GALESBURG, ILL.—The Grantites of Galesburg had a meeting Sept. 7. There were only fifteen or twenty persons present. And, without proceeding to business, the Chairman announced that the meeting would adjourn till some future time.

CHAMPAIGN, ILL.—A grand Liberal demonstration will be held on the old Fair Ground, adjoining the Cities of Urbana and Champaign, on Saturday, Sept. 14. There will be an old-fashioned barbecue in the afternoon, at which an ox will be roasted whole. The following gentlemen have consented to be present: The Hon. Cassius M. Clay, Governor Palmer, the Hon. James C. Robinson, the Hon. S. W. Moulton, the Hon. Shelby M. Eden, the Hon. A. W. O'Brien, General John C. Black, the Hon. W. R. Nelson, and Messrs. M. E. Quinn, J. S. Wolfe, Daniel Bradley, J. B. Mann, and F. E. Bryant. In the evening there will be a grand torchlight procession. General S. T. Busey will act as Marshal.

COVINGTON, IND.—The Hon. James C. Robinson, of Illinois, made two speeches at Covington, Ind., Sept. 7, (the last of a series in the latter State). In the afternoon he addressed an audience of 1,000 persons, in the Court-Room; and, in the evening, he spoke to the Greeley and Brown Club, whose hall was crowded. At the close of the last meeting, he was escorted to the train by a large concourse of citizens. Senator Morton addressed the Grantites on the same evening, his audience being of very small size. Morton said, in substance, that, until very recently, he had not learned the great powers of Grant; but now he was ready to assure his hearers that, as a statesman and Christian, he had no equal in ancient or modern times; that Washington, and the long line of Presidents down to Grant, fell incomparably below the latter in ability as a statesman. Our correspondent adds: "Indiana is dead sure for our State ticket."

FREEMANSBURG, IND.—The Liberals had a fine meeting at Petersburg, Ill., on the 6th. Greeley and Brown Club was organized, with Mr. T. Cheany, County Treasurer, as President. The meeting was addressed by Colonel J. H. Matheny, of Springfield; Isaac Cogdal, and A. G. Vance, of Rock Creek; and the Hon. T. W. McNeely, M.C. "Messrs. Cogdal and Vance have hitherto been among the leading Republican spirits in this (Menard) county. We are daily gaining strength. This county will go largely for Greeley and Brown."

CHEROKEE, IOWA.—Scammon's paper, in a recent issue, had a statement from one J. H. Roe, to the effect that more *Mid-Ocean* were taken in Cherokee County, Iowa, than all other Chicago papers put together. Mr. E. C. Herrick, news-dealer at Cherokee, pronounces this false: says he himself takes nearly three times as many dailies, and about twelve times as many weeklies, of but three other political publications in Chicago, as he does of the *Mid-Ocean*; and declares that there are Republicans in Cherokee who propounce the Scammon sheet a "wishy-washy" publication.

CHARLESTOWN, IND.—"Clark County is located on the border, and, since the negroes have been voting, the Administrationists have perpetrated the grossest frauds by importing them from Kentucky; yet the county is secure by a Democratic majority of 1,200 when the full vote is polled. The Hon. James C. Robinson, of your State, is rendering us valuable service. He addressed an enthusiastic meeting at this place on the 31st, and was listened to with deep interest for two and a half hours. Blanton Duncan has no followers here. Old Democrats, who never voted a scratched ticket in their lives, support Greeley and Brown with ardent zeal, and advise the boys they have raised to do likewise, and the boys are going to do it."

DEWITT, IOWA.—S. H. Davis, of Chicago, addressed a Liberal meeting at DeWitt on the 7th inst. The Democrats in that place are receiving documents franked by Administration Congressmen, in the interest of the Blanchan Duncan fraud.

ATKINSON, ILL.—The Hon. Jonas (Grant, of Galva, spoke at Atkinson, Henry County, Sept. 9, to a crowded audience of Liberals.

KEOKUK COUNTY, IOWA.—On the afternoon of the 6th inst., the Liberal Republicans and Democrats of the northwestern portion of Keokuk County met at South English, raised a Greeley and Brown pole, and were addressed by the Hon. John P. Irish. In the evening, another meeting was held, at which speeches were made by several gentlemen from Sigourney. While this meeting was in progress a stone was thrown by some Grantite, and came very near striking the speaker. Fortunately, as one was hurt. On the 7th, a large concourse of people from all parts of the county assembled at Sigourney. The Liberal Republicans and Democrats held their County Convention in the forenoon; General A. C. Dodge and the Hon. John P. Irish spoke in the afternoon to a crowd variously estimated at from 4,000 to 6,000 people; and, in the evening, notwithstanding a furious tempest, the Court House was packed with citizens to listen to ex-Governor Stone,—the most popular Governor and one of the most accomplished orators Iowa has ever had. The speeches were excellent, and the enthusiasm great. "Keokuk County will give at least 500 majority for Greeley and Brown, notwithstanding the Grant party have tried to stop a Straightout ticket, which has, however, completely played out."

ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—The Liberal Convention for the Senatorial District, comprising the Counties of Henry and Rock Island, met at Rock Island, Sept. 9, and nominated Levi Higgins, of Henry, for Senator, and Charles Dunham, of Henry, and George W. Vinton, of Rock Island, for Representatives. "Some of the Grant organs dared us to nominate two Representatives. Taking the vote of 1868, they, by nominating three men, and giving each one vote, can beat us about 700 in the two counties,—that is, if we should nominate two, and give our men one and a half votes each; they claiming that we couldn't cut find 700 Republicans who would vote our ticket. We give the Grant men notice, through THE TRIBUNE, that we have found them. Now, gentlemen, we dare you to put the third man on your ticket, and we will make it very interesting for you."

HILLSDALE, MICH.—A large and enthusiastic meeting of Liberals was addressed by the Rev. Dr. Nourse, late of Oberlin College, at the Court House in Hillsdale, Mich., Sept. 7. It was likewise fully two hours in length. Interest is tested to with the most absorbing, drawn the end. His arguments and fit the most from Republican sources, were, by, impassive and convincing chaff compared as slander, and evident sincerity, love, gave were his words with Christ, and gave great weight to his utterances, and what something for each to take away and ponder upon. We have had no end we would adhitherto in this campaign efforts that count for vice and in wastiness, truthfulness, and their kindness; to address him at Adrian, convincing."

State Board of Equalization.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., Sept. 11.

The Chicago Tribune:

The State Board of Equalization closed to-day, after a session of thirty days. The aggregate equalized valuation of property in the State is in round numbers of $810,000,000; and the rate per cent of assessment will be about 65 cents for the hundred dollars. The political complexion of the Board was:

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WOOD PRESERVING.

Messrs. Nichols & Shepard, submitted to a Special Committee of the Common Council Explanations of the several processes.

A Special Common Council Committee to which was referred the wood-preserving patent question, met in the room adjoining the Council Chamber yesterday afternoon. Ernest Gerber, of Gerber & Schaffer, was present also, Dr. J. V. Z. Blaney, whose professional services were engaged by the Committee.

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The United States Circuit Court.

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Edwin D. Brainard v. William Fitzgerald et al. In restrain defendants from making, vending, or using a patent improvement in locomotive, refrigerating and fermenting chambers, requiring payment on products made by complainant's improvements hitherto made.

Thomas Tiffany, attorney.

Edward Tiffany, George Von Holten, City Solicitor. Bill to restrain the defendant from issuing an assessment made on the stock-holders of the Commercial Insurance Company of Chicago. The grounds of objection are stated to be given in the case of the First National Bank of Seattle, attorney.

The United States District Court.

ADMIRALTY—JUDGE DRUMMOND.

Thomas & Scott v. Cousin Mary. Libel filed, to secure the payment of account. Wm. Lawrence, attorney.

BANKRUPTCY.

In re Frederick A. Wiskelman. Petition filed and notice issued. Bond fixed at $1,000. Wm. Geo. F. Castigan. Referred to H. M. Hibbard, Register.

In re Knickerbocker Insurance Agency. Order that the bankrupt deliver within 5 days schedule of remainder of assets of estate in the near required by petitioning creditr. Warrant to issue returnable on 2nd October.

The Superior Court.

LAW—JUDGE PORTER.

982 Wells v. Paisour. Demurrer and plea to

985 Allen v. Quinn. Motion of Joseph R. Ing to set aside default denied.

1,000 Hall v. Dudgeon. Demurrer and judgment

1,013 Allen v. Montgomery. Jury sworn as follows: Hy Thomas, J H Allan, J Cole, Robt. Lowry, sly. Schick, Thos. Wallace, W. Kohn, Jno. Hoffman, Jno. Hoffman, Jr., C. Kohn, Emil Wahl, and J. H. Caldwell. Verdict for plaintiff for $1,000. Judgment, $881.20.

1,038 Jordan v. Hearson. Verdict for plaintiff damages, $125.20. Motion for new trial by defendant. Sued by defendant for $500, and cross-claim $4 days.

1,039 Thompson v Hayes. On motion of plaintiff, case continued on payment of costs to September term, 1872.

1,040 Hall v. Ingraham. Jury sworn, as follows: W. J. Radcliff, P. Kehoe, Thad. Wilkins, J. S. Fewell, C. Hall, O. Cain, Hy. Bosch, Jno. Fisher, Hy. Schier, J. H. Caldwell, J. H. Allan, and Henry Thomas. By agreement, order of dismissal.

1,050 Greenwood v. Murphy. On motion of plaintiff, dismissed at defendant's costs, with leave to file bond for want of compliance with rule of 90th inst.

1,051 Greenwood v Kain. Same.

1,052 Beckman v. Frohn. By agreement suit dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

1,053. Fournier v. Gerard. Judgment for $1,130.

JUDGE JAMESON.

1,026. Powers v. Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne Railroad Company. Motion for order for issue of interrogatories deposition to Commissioner sustained.

1,014. Hall v. Remington. By agreement submitted on agreed case set for 20th inst.

1,018. Lewis v. Michigan Central Railroad Company. By agreement case set for 20th inst.

1,019. Same v. Same. By agreement cause continued.

1,020. Willis v. Butler. Demurrer to narr sustained and leave to plaintiff to amend narr.

1,021. Linn v. Long. Jury to separate by agreement.

CHANCERY—JUDGE GARY.

1,799 McDonald v. McDonald. Master's report filed and confirmed, and decree of divorce issued.

1,801 Rose v. McNally. Proof of publication. Default. Hearing, and decree entered appointing Master to take proofs and report.

1,805. Pellastave v. Outhet et al. Appeal of Mathias Outhet and Walter J. Dean entered in writ of error. Bond, $1,000. Rule on Dean to answer, Saturday. Default for want of answer. Personal service. Jesse Holmes appointed guardian ad litem for L. A. Dean. Answer of G. A. L. filed. Motion for decree and reference to Scott.

1,807. Stewart v. Selinger. Proof of publication. Default. Hearing, and decree to re-lie.

NEW SUITS.

1,811 Urban v. Ehrenius. Assumpsit, $1,500. John A. Sherman, attorney.

1,812. Strauss v. Eberis. Assumpsit, $500. Bonfield & Dean, attorneys.

1,813. Hayes v. Scott et al. Land Association at Law. Gore, $4,000. Moran & English, attorneys.

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1,815. Charles v. Jane Bastian. Divorce. Personal service. Cruelty and desertion, on the part of his wife and adulterous practices, and prays custody of one child aged 14 years.

1,816. Hayes v. Scott et al. Illinois Insurance Company of Chicago. Assumpsit, $3,000. Bonfield, attorney.

1,817. Hayes v. Barlow. Assumpsit, $1,500. Bonfield & Payson, attorneys.

1,818. Morris Marx et al. v. Bierstedorf. Assumpsit, $200. Hugh Moran, attorney.

1,819. Price et al. v. Muller et al. Assumpsit, $1,000. E. W. Pike, attorney.

1,820. Bargon v. Coleman. Transcript from Justice's docket.

1,821. Chicago Gas and Water Pipe Company v. Detroit Silver Smelting and Refining Company. Assumpsit, $500. Stephen F. Brown, attorney.

1,822. Ewan V. Smith. Judgment by confession for $2,000 on promissory note. M. Oliver, defendant's attorney.

The Circuit Court.

LAW—JUDGE BOOTH.

John R. Smith et al. v. Wm. F. Collins. Order that proceedings be spread upon record, and that publication be made.

Ira Y. Rockwell et al. v. Same. Order that plaintiff's attorneys have leave to dismiss plaintiff's demurrer for want of proper security.

Same v. Same. Order that Plaintiff's demurrer be dismissed as to special pleas, and that defendant have leave to withdraw his plea.

Same v. Same. Mr. Stephen A. Hall appointed Master in Chancery.

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CHANCERY—JUDGE FARWELL.

Mary Ann Cotterell v. Kellogg et al. Bill filed, summons issued and read by consent and notice. Ordered, by consent, that Hon. Isaac Cook be appointed as complainant's solicitor. Complainant's bond in the sum of $1,000 in twenty days to be approved by the Court.

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1,881. Brodie v. Monge. Appeal from Justice Summons.

1,882. McMaster v. Granger. Case, $5,000. Lambert & Bonney, attorneys.

1,884. Great Western Telegraph Company v. Kent. Assumpsit, $1,000. Goodrich & Roberts, attorneys.

A. C. Dow et al. Assumpsit, $900. Same attorneys.

1,886. Same v. Same. Assumpsit, $900. Same attorneys.

1,887. Same v. Hy M. Thom. Assumpsit, $900. Same attorneys.

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1,893. Same v. Isaac Walzall. Assumpsit, $1,000. Same attorneys.

1,894. Same v. Gas and Water Pipe Company. Assumpsit, $900. Same attorneys.

1,895. Irwin Lewis v. Same. Action on contract for the sale of a division to Chicago, to be No. 18, S. T. Dodge's, selling to $250.50. Stephen F. Brown, attorney.

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1,900. Ernest v. Bradshaw. Appeal from Justice Kaufmann. Same attorney.

BANKRUPTCY.

In re Solomon Mills.

No. 18. Gilbert Shaw v. Willis G. Jackson. Bill to convey title to the S. ½ of lot 1 in Block 6, W. ¼ of Sec 9 in Township 39 N. Range 14 E. of Third principal meridian. Monroe, Blake & Gibbs, attorneys.

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The United States Circuit Court.

NEW SUITS.

Edwin D. Brainard v. William Fitzgerald et al. In restrain defendants from making, vending, or using a patent improvement in locomotive, refrigerating and fermenting chambers, requiring payment on products made by complainant's improvements hitherto made.

Thomas Tiffany, attorney.

Edward Tiffany, George Von Holten, City Solicitor. Bill to restrain the defendant from issuing an assessment made on the stock-holders of the Commercial Insurance Company of Chicago. The grounds of objection are stated to be given in the case of the First National Bank of Seattle, attorney.

The United States District Court.

ADMIRALTY—JUDGE DRUMMOND.

Thomas & Scott v. Cousin Mary. Libel filed, to secure the payment of account. Wm. Lawrence, attorney.

BANKRUPTCY.

In re Frederick A. Wiskelman. Petition filed and notice issued. Bond fixed at $1,000. Wm. Geo. F. Castigan. Referred to H. M. Hibbard, Register.

In re Knickerbocker Insurance Agency. Order that the bankrupt deliver within 5 days schedule of remainder of assets of estate in the near required by petitioning creditr. Warrant to issue returnable on 2nd October.

The Superior Court.

LAW—JUDGE PORTER.

982 Wells v. Paisour. Demurrer and plea to

985 Allen v. Quinn. Motion of Joseph R. Ing to set aside default denied.

1,000 Hall v. Dudgeon. Demurrer and judgment

1,013 Allen v. Montgomery. Jury sworn as follows: Hy Thomas, J H Allan, J Cole, Robt. Lowry, sly. Schick, Thos. Wallace, W. Kohn, Jno. Hoffman, Jno. Hoffman, Jr., C. Kohn, Emil Wahl, and J. H. Caldwell. Verdict for plaintiff for $1,000. Judgment, $881.20.

1,038 Jordan v. Hearson. Verdict for plaintiff damages, $125.20. Motion for new trial by defendant. Sued by defendant for $500, and cross-claim $4 days.

1,039 Thompson v Hayes. On motion of plaintiff, case continued on payment of costs to September term, 1872.

1,040 Hall v. Ingraham. Jury sworn, as follows: W. J. Radcliff, P. Kehoe, Thad. Wilkins, J. S. Fewell, C. Hall, O. Cain, Hy. Bosch, Jno. Fisher, Hy. Schier, J. H. Caldwell, J. H. Allan, and Henry Thomas. By agreement, order of dismissal.

1,050 Greenwood v. Murphy. On motion of plaintiff, dismissed at defendant's costs, with leave to file bond for want of compliance with rule of 90th inst.

1,051 Greenwood v Kain. Same.

1,052 Beckman v. Frohn. By agreement suit dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

1,053. Fournier v. Gerard. Judgment for $1,130.

JUDGE JAMESON.

1,026. Powers v. Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne Railroad Company. Motion for order for issue of interrogatories deposition to Commissioner sustained.

1,014. Hall v. Remington. By agreement submitted on agreed case set for 20th inst.

1,018. Lewis v. Michigan Central Railroad Company. By agreement case set for 20th inst.

1,019. Same v. Same. By agreement cause continued.

1,020. Willis v. Butler. Demurrer to narr sustained and leave to plaintiff to amend narr.

1,021. Linn v. Long. Jury to separate by agreement.

CHANCERY—JUDGE GARY.

1,799 McDonald v. McDonald. Master's report filed and confirmed, and decree of divorce issued.

1,801 Rose v. McNally. Proof of publication. Default. Hearing, and decree entered appointing Master to take proofs and report.

1,805. Pellastave v. Outhet et al. Appeal of Mathias Outhet and Walter J. Dean entered in writ of error. Bond, $1,000. Rule on Dean to answer, Saturday. Default for want of answer. Personal service. Jesse Holmes appointed guardian ad litem for L. A. Dean. Answer of G. A. L. filed. Motion for decree and reference to Scott.

1,807. Stewart v. Selinger. Proof of publication. Default. Hearing, and decree to re-lie.

NEW SUITS.

1,811 Urban v. Ehrenius. Assumpsit, $1,500. John A. Sherman, attorney.

1,812. Strauss v. Eberis. Assumpsit, $500. Bonfield & Dean, attorneys.

1,813. Hayes v. Scott et al. Land Association at Law. Gore, $4,000. Moran & English, attorneys.

1,814. Hayes v. De Graiz et al. Ejectment, $500. Bonfield & Fiarty, attorneys.

1,815. Charles v. Jane Bastian. Divorce. Personal service. Cruelty and desertion, on the part of his wife and adulterous practices, and prays custody of one child aged 14 years.

1,816. Hayes v. Scott et al. Illinois Insurance Company of Chicago. Assumpsit, $3,000. Bonfield, attorney.

1,817. Hayes v. Barlow. Assumpsit, $1,500. Bonfield & Payson, attorneys.

1,818. Morris Marx et al. v. Bierstedorf. Assumpsit, $200. Hugh Moran, attorney.

1,819. Price et al. v. Muller et al. Assumpsit, $1,000. E. W. Pike, attorney.

1,820. Bargon v. Coleman. Transcript from Justice's docket.

1,821. Chicago Gas and Water Pipe Company v. Detroit Silver Smelting and Refining Company. Assumpsit, $500. Stephen F. Brown, attorney.

1,822. Ewan V. Smith. Judgment by confession for $2,000 on promissory note. M. Oliver, defendant's attorney.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE—BY LINN & HAWKINSON, 59 North Clark st.

Cheap lots. Long time. Easy payments.

WORTH SIDE PROPERTY.

Lot 4, Block 1, Sayre's addition; no money down to responsible parties.

Lot 1, Block 2, same addition, cheap.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 3, same addition, cheap.

127 feet corner Lasalle and Chicago av.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 4, same addition.

Lot 100, cor. of Leavitt and Augusta.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 5, same addition.

Lot 100, corner Dearborn and Huron.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 6, same addition.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 7, same addition.

Lots 1 and 2, Block 8, same addition.

Lot 100, corner Indiana and Franklin.

Lot 100, corner Clark and Division.

Lot 100, Whitney's st. near Huron; will exchange for vacant property in Lincoln Park; will exchange four Bricks barn and lots near Lincoln Park; will exchange for city property.

The room frame house last lot 28x128, two blocks west of Lincoln Park, for sale.

One brick house and corner lot, $6,000.

Lot 100 feet front on Sheffield's Grove.

Lot 125 grove lot, three blocks north of Lincoln Park. Must be sold to-day.

Farm 5 miles south of Austin.

LINN & HAWKINSON.

FOR SALE—BY R. G. COLE & CO., 128 La-Salle st.

16 lots on Taylor-st., 33x115 ft. between Leavitt and Oakley, $1,600 each; easy payments.

Lot on Taylor-st., southeast corner of Ashland av., $1,000; easy payments.

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THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE: THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1872.

LEGALITY OF A LAW OF 1865.

A Matter of Interest to a Nose-Offended City.

The Motion to Quash the Mitchell Information Overruled.

Opinion of Judge Tree on a Much-Vexed Public Question.

Important Points Not Touched on in Judge Farwell's Decision.

The motion to quash the information of a nuisance, in the case of Jonathan C. Mitchell, was overruled by Judge Tree, in the Criminal Court, yesterday, in a decision which we give below. It will be seen that, in this cause, the points of objection to the proceedings against the defendant are objected to on entirely different grounds to those alleged in the cases of Thompson and Reid & Sherwin, now before the Criminal Court. THE TRIBUNE has already published a full note of the defendant's position, and it is only necessary here to give His Honor's decision, as he declared it, without further comment:

THE DECISION.

This is a motion to quash an information filed by the State's Attorney in the name of the people of the State, under the twelfth section of an act of the Legislature, approved Feb. 16, 1865, and entitled, "An act to provide sanitary measures and health regulations for the city of Chicago, and to provide for the appointment of a Health Officer for the city of Chicago." The objections urged to the sufficiency of the proceeding are:

1. That the information is not in the name of the people of the State, but in that of the State's Attorney.

2. That it does not appear that the complaint of the Health Officer, required by the statute to be filed with the State's Attorney, was based on a like complaint of three freeholders of Chicago.

3. That it is not stated in what manner the business is unlawfully conducted.

4. That it is not stated that any praying for a fine and injunction.

5. That the law in authorizing the Sheriff to take and hold possession of property preliminary to a trial, is in violation of the Bill of Rights.

6. That inasmuch as the Constitution of 1870 declares that all laws relating to the practice of the Courts shall be general and of uniform operation and the Constitution of the State on the question of nuisance exists, under which the defendant might be indicted, this law is in derogation of the power of prior constitutional law, and the penalties must cease to have any operation.

The first, second, third, and fourth objections are merely technical and may be the disposed of in a few words. The statute directs the State's Attorney to file an information in the name of the people of the State of Illinois and this he has done in the very language of the statute, and as I think, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution requiring all prosecution to be carried on in the name and authority of the People of the State.

The second objection is based on an error in the printing of the law in Garry's Laws and Ordinances, in which the complaint made by any three freeholders of Chicago, "Private Property" is made to read "Private Secretary." This objection, therefore, does not require any further consideration. Neither do I think the third and fourth objections as to the manner in which the business is conducted, and as to the manner of slaughtering animals in such a manner as to create offensive odors. This is a matter of evidence, and one upon which a material issue may be joined for trial. The allegation is not necessary that the information should be in writing for a fine and injunction. The first is incidental merely to the following conviction, and the latter may also issue as a preventive of future breaches of the statute, without regard to any penalty in the information.

The fifth and sixth objections go to the merits of the case. If they are well taken it is an end of the proceeding. The statute in question provides that "immediately upon the filing of such information, process shall be issued thereon, and such information shall be filed, directed to the Health Officer of the City of Chicago, or to the Sheriff of Cook County, commanding him to enjoin them, or either of them, to take possession of premises and fixtures where such business is being conducted, as a nuisance, and to remove the same, until a trial of the said information shall be had, and to summon the person or parties in said information named, so to appear and plead to the same forthwith."

It is this provision in the law which the learned counsel for the defendant contends is in violation of the Bill of Rights, which declares that no person shall be deprived of his property without due process of law.

All property is held in every well-organized community subject to the right of the State to restrict and, as to its use, as are necessary to the common good and general welfare. Every holder of property takes it with this implied obligation, that it be not injurious to his neighbors, who have an equal right to the enjoyment of their property, and neither should be permitted to use it in such manner as to endanger the health of the community. To insure this, the State is invested with a police power coextensive with and varied enough to make such laws to accomplish the purpose. It is in the exercise of this police power that laws are passed authorizing the destruction of diseased cattle running at large; that numerous wholesome provisions are taken possession of, that indecent pictures and books are seized, and that indecent prints are ordered; that gambling houses are suppressed; that persons and property are subjected to detention by quarantine regulations; and it is in the exercise of this same police power that the Legislature passed this law, by which authority the Sheriff is now in possession of the premises and holds them until trial, in cases where the State's Attorney has filed an information charging the commission of a nuisance, as defined in the statute.

The right to the exercise of this police power by this and all other statutes has been so long upheld by the Courts to be doubted at this day. Its exercise does not conflict with any Constitutional principles.

It is further urged that the proceeding by information is improper, because the Constitution of 1870 declares that all laws relating to the practice of the Courts shall be of uniform operation, and, as under the general statute of the State, one is the subject of nuisance, as the law now stands, it was a violation of the Constitution to commence by information. I am unable to perceive the force of this reasoning. An information differs from an indictment in no respect in its force and substance, except that it is filed by the proper law officer of the Government, *ex officio*, without the intervention of a Grand Jury. It is a method of proceeding adopted throughout the State in all cases where the punishment is by fine and imprisonment, other than in the penitentiary. The Government, under which the information is filed, specially provides "that that shall be the manner of commencing the proceedings." The legislature, in this section, has thought proper to adopt sanitary measures and health regulations with reference to the city of Chicago only and with reference to the fact that these are more vigorous than those existing in other portions of the State, probably because it was deemed that the city of Chicago is large enough for such a community. To so construe the clause of the Constitution of 1870 in reference to the uniform operation of the Courts as to require all proceedings for a nuisance to be commenced by indictment under the general statute would be to destroy the statute in invalidity, since the adoption of the Constitution of 1870, of all special laws for the protection of towns and cities which have been passed by the Legislature, whenever there is a general law on the subject. I cannot accept such a construction of the Constitution. I perceive no objection to the proceedings provided by the statute which is not in harmony with the general practice throughout the State. The information is a proceeding recognized and approved by the Supreme Court, in The People *ex rel.* Attorney-General *vs.* Ridgly *et al.*, 21 Ill. 65. The judgment of the Court, in case of conviction, is a fine, in the same form as such judgments are rendered in cases of misdemeanor. Clearly the statute is not unconstitutional in this respect. It is true that the statute provides that an injunction may issue. That is, however, not a part of the law of nuisance, but only as a check on future derelictions.

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These Indians form a large portion of the band of the famous Sitting Bull, whose depredations are at present the terror of the inhabitants of the Yellowstone Valley. They are, without exception, a fine-appearing body of aborigines, their above the average Indian. All are supplied in the establishments of war, have painted visages, and from the belts of some of them dangle the scalps of white victims. This indubitable evidence of Indian valor they seem to regard with great pride.

General Torrey thinks travel and observation in the civilized and populous world the best civilizer extant, simply because it acquaints them with the great power of the white man. He said these Lodge Indians have a wonderful effect upon the race, but that they can be made to accept no assertions. When the Indians reached Yankton and saw 120 white people, they were perfectly amazed; and when they arrived in this city, their astonishment could not be described.

The thirty-three Chiefs represent about 8,000 Sioux Indians, who, by reason of the absence of their Chiefs, will maintain a pacific condition. These Lodge Indians are a portion of the tribe threatening an attack upon the Northern Pacific Railroad.

The entire party are the guests of the Tremont House. To gratify the whims and eccentricities of the Indians, the beds have been removed from their rooms. They prefer the floor.

This morning the entire band will pay their *devoirs* to the Mayor; leaving for Washington to-night, at 8 o'clock.

GREELEY AND BROWN.

Distinguished Visitors at the Liberal Headquarters Yesterday—Hon. O. H. Hatch.

Flag-Raising and Barbecue on Saturday—The Fourth Ward Rally To-Night ...Announcements.

Among the distinguished gentlemen who visited the Liberal Headquarters yesterday were the following: V. Jobst, Peoria; J. Quigly Thompson, Watseka; C. W. Wolbert, Dubuque; Rev. A. H. Laing, Benton Harbor; W. G. Dowall, Peoria; E. J. Davis and James Kennedy.

Hon. O. H. Hatch, Secretary of the Liberal State Central Committee, arrived in Chicago, yesterday, and can be found at the Liberal Headquarters, No. 38 South Canal street.

FLAG-RAISING AND BARBECUE.

The subjoined invitation was issued by the Liberal Committee, yesterday, and it is hoped that the persons to whom it refers will respond:

The members of the Liberal Executive Committee throughout the city and county are earnestly invited to turn out en masse and assist with their respective organizations on the corner of Wentworth avenue and Elston road on Saturday afternoon or evening, Sept. 14, 1872, when Governor Koerner, Hon. B. Gratz Brown, and other prominent speakers will address the meeting. A flag-pole will be raised, and a massive Greeley and Brown flag thrown to the breeze. A grand and Brown flag thrown to the breeze. A grand old-fashioned time will be had, and a regular old-fashioned barbecue. It is suggested that each club hold a special meeting on Friday evening to perfect arrangements for flag dedication will take place at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and the speaking and festivities will be continued until 10 p. m.

DAVID L. HAMMOND,
Chairman Executive Committee.
C. T. HOTCHKISS, *Secretary.*

FOURTH WARD.

We, the undersigned residents of the Fourth Ward, City of Chicago, hereby unite in a call for a meeting of the friends of Greeley and Brown, Koerner and Black, and in favor of a general reform in the administration of the city, county, and general government, to be held at Central Hall, without respect to former political opinions, to meet with us at Central Hall, on the corner of Wentworth avenue and Second street, this (Thursday) evening, Sept. 12, for permanent ward organization.

J. F. Coolbaugh,	J. C. Dore,
L. B. Otis,	Murry Nelson,
E. F. Laurence,	H. Spriggens,
Wirt Dexter,	E. G. Wolcott,
Chas. H. Schwab,	D. A. Gage,
Jesse O. Norton,	C. Gilbert,
M. C. Hamilton,	H. S. Monroe,
C. F. Wentworth,	C. T. Wheeler,
Horace White,	E. Kimball,
N. K. Fairbank,	Mark Kimball,
Washington Smith,	John Barker,
Elias Greensbaum,	Levi D. Boone,
James Campbell,	H. C. Ranney,
James H. Abbott,	A. E. Ranney,
Lazarus Silverman,	Edson Keith,
E. G. Keith,	E. Montgomery,
H. Henry Meil,	Randall H. White,
E. M. Ford,	George H. Phillips,
D. A. Jones,	Gerhart Forman,
Sam'l E. Gallup,	W. H. Walbridge,
H. N. Hibbard,	N. Gould,
Jas. E. Godfrey,	Edward E. Cleaver,
L. E. Gardner,	G. W. Wade,
E. E. Sumner,	H. H. Hall,
J. F. Mallory,	B. W. Thomas,
C. M. Clarke,	O. S. Hough,
J. Hinman,	Samuel Hinman,
Geo. A. Brown,	Samuel Wilson,
Willis McQuiaz,	Wm. K. Forsyth,
W. J. Wadsworth,	James Monaghan,
W. J. Ularden,	Simon Quatin,
T. W. Wentworth,	J. Ward Ellis,
W. P. Watson,	Warren Ellis,
F. W. Tourtellotte,	Major E. Ellis,
Wm. H. Burdruff,	John Ohrines,
M. C. Wilbur,	G. W. Barnard,
Sam. W. Fuller,	Leonard W. Hardson,
N. Monroe,	H. H. Hildreth,
H. Wells,	T. H. Wood,
Y. E. Greene,	Geo. Wood,
G. E. Hilton,	D. H. Daniels,
J. Frost,	A. Bowersox,
J. Frost,	S. A. Gilbert,
Wm. C. Warner,	G. J. Goodwin,
L. Cakin,	Wm. A. W. Porter,
J. Kirsgood,	C. H. Church,
Max Goldinger,	John M. Wright,
D. T. Day,	Charles Waite, Jr.,
W. B. Carder,	Martin Thatcher,
Henry L. Hill,	Wood. Otis,
F. Larmon,	John H. Dimmock, Jr.,
George Gibbon,	St. Clair Dimmock,
Patrick O'Brien,	Dr. Ernst Schmidt,
Joshua S. Reed,	William Brown,
Dr. Ferdinand,	C. W. Jones,
N. S. Boyden,	Charles Draper,
P. Thornton,	James Monahan,
Geo. F. Sherman,	Jeremiah Donovan,
O. D. Kanny,	John D. Madden,
DeWitt C. Leach,	F. Kimler,
B. H. Reynolds,	Alex. B. Williams,
Jas. D. Elliott,	R. Hagenbuch,
Alexander Norris,	John P. Wells,
James McGinly,	G. Williams,
Robert Hethington,	James McCauly,
L. O. Williams,	Peter Smith,
Henry Hitchcock,	William Lyons,
Edward E. Rosbi,	P. F. Driscoll,
John Castolano,	Robert Lindsden,
B. Trebearn,	Michael Crowley,
W. H. Winchester,	James Crowley,
Charles Grier,	William Hanlon,
John Nanegan, Sr.,	William Whitman,
Thomas Bealley,	Philip Meany,
Terrence O'Brian,	L. J. Keeler,
Thomas Stroome,	John Hewhouse,
Philip Ryan,	R. T. Crane,
Michael Shanley,	H. A. Hendricks,
Michael McNamara,	T. Figgins,
John Keys,	Philip Orpongosh,
Thomas O'Brian,	James Lawrence,
Daniel Corcoran,	H. Sweet,
Edward Quinlan,	George Koeler,
John Murphy,	George Orne,
N. S. Bond,	Joseph Davine,
James Short,	William Maxwell,
Patrick Burns,	Henry C. Maughlin.

Brief resolutions will be offered by J. C. Dore, Jonathan C. Norton, H. S. Monroe, F. W. Tourtellotte, Hon. I. B. Otis, Thomas A. Moran, Dr. Ernst Schmidt, and others.

SEVENTH WARD.

A meeting of the Liberals of the Seventh Ward was held last evening at No. 168 Canalport avenue. Alderman Hickey, Chairman, called the meeting to order. Mr. McAlpine made a motion that the Chair appoint a committee to select an Executive Committee. The committee retired, and reported the following names for the Executive Committee: Peter Rehn, Wm. Ward, Patrick Hickey, Lieut. Peter Rehn, Wm. Rawliegh, Horace Conkey, Geo. Desiness, Chas. Brown, Chas. Hoffman, Jacob Metzger, Pendergrast, Wm. Ward, Patrick Hickey, Peter Bryan, Thomas Hickey, Wm. Tyler, Peter Rehn, Wm. Laughlin, Fred. Engleking, Peter Rehn, Wm. Ward, Patrick Hickey, Harry Collins, Patrick Enright, Henry Babcock, Harry Collins, Patrick Monaghan, H. M. Graham, F. H. Ulbrich, Daniel Lacey, Thos. McCann.

The roll was then called, and 130 names were signed. Several were made by several citizens of the ward, after which the meeting adjourned to next Tuesday, at 8 P. M. Dunn's, corner Throop and Twenty-second streets.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following announcements of Liberal meetings to-night are made:

Fourth Ward—Central Hall, corner of Wabash avenue and Twenty-second street.

Seventh Ward—Donovan's Hall, No. 163 Canalport avenue, near Halsted street.

Twelfth Ward—No. 320 West Harrison street.

Everybody invited. A rip-roaring rally will be effected.

Thorn ton Station and Homewood, at 6 o'clock p. m. Sidney Thomas and Emil Dietsch will address this meeting.

FRIDAY EVENING.

On Friday evening meetings will be held at the subjoined places:

Third Ward—No. 484 Wabash avenue.

Eighth Ward—Spence's Hall, No. 276 Blue Island avenue.

Tenth Ward—At the Liberal Headquarters, No. 38 South Canal street.

Twelfth Ward—Corner of Kinzie and Rucker streets.

Thirteenth Ward—Tammany Hall, No. 629 West Indiana street, corner of Lincoln street.

Twentieth Ward—Corner of Ohio and North Wells streets.

Vessels Passed Detroit.

DETROIT, Sept. 11.—DOWN—Props St. Louis, Jaws, Mercutt; schrs Minch, Maumee Valley, Welsh, Baltimore.

UP—Prop Gordon Campbell; schr Dagforth; barge Hall.

WIND—Northeast.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 11.—UP—Barge Noland (tow Olive Branch), Levi Rawson, Orient, Fame, F. J. King, Neahoto, Webb, Frontier City, Jefferey Barklow.

DOWN—Props Oneida.

WIND—Southeast.

Illinois River Items.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

LA SALLE, Ill., Sept. 11.—PASSED UP—Propeller Whale, towing barge Friendship, and canal boat Alida, from Henry, all with corn for Chicago; propeller Sea Bird, from Peru, with corn for Chicago. Departed—Nothing.

CANAL—Passed In—Propeller Whale, Alida, and Hattie Bell, all from Henry, and J. Bouchard, from Peru, all with corn for Chicago. Passed Out—Sea Branch, Monte Christo, and Delinquency, all light, for LaSalle. Nine feet and eleven inches of water on the miter sill of Lock Fifteen, having risen twenty inches since last Saturday.

Telegraphic Brevities.

Deputy Sheriff James Martha, of LaSalle, yesterday, accidentally shot Mrs. Michael Kane, residing a number of leaves shot in her body. Her condition is considered critical.

—The Rev. J. E. Gulliver, D. D., late President of Knox College, at Galesburg, Ill., has accepted a unanimous call to become pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Binghamton, N. Y.

WHAT WILL BE DONE ABOUT IT?

The Railroad Track on Sixteenth Street the Subject of Another Afternoon's Discussion.

Views of Leading Railroad Officials—Horse-Power Propositions—Viaducts or a Tunnel—Which?

A meeting of the Common Council Committee on Railroads, was held yesterday afternoon in the Council Chamber, for the purpose of discussing the proposition to compel the use of horse power on the railroad running across the South Division on Sixteenth street. There were present a large number of prominent railway officials and citizens, among them Robert Harris, General Superintendent of the Chicago, Rarlington & Quincy Railroad; H. E. Sargent, General Superintendent of the Michigan Central Railroad; Mr. Mitchell, General Freight Agent of the Illinois Central Railroad; Mr. Hjostberg, Chief Engineer of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad; Mayor Medill, Louis Wahl, Peter Page, Alderman Holden and Bateham, Messrs. North, Hathaway, and others.

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman of the Committee, Alderman Woodman, who invited those present to freely express their views.

Alderman C. C. P. Holden gave a brief sketch of the opposition which citizens had offered to the plan of constructing viaducts, which, however, was eventually adopted in the West Division, the property-owners coming to the conclusion that, so far from injuring the value of their property, it was actually benefited thereby. The North Division followed suit, and at the present time the viaduct system met with general favor. There was, however, a decided opposition to viaducts across Sixteenth street, and it was proposed to solve the problem by the introduction of horse-power. This plan was unsatisfactory to the railroad corporations. The large business done by the railroads rendered it impossible to get along with horse-power, or, if it would, it would be found that the slow process of moving trains by horse-power would add to, rather than decrease, the evil now complained of. The viaducts appeared to be only escape out of the dilemma, and whether or not the tracks should be lowered, must be determined by inquiry. People living on the south side of Sixteenth street were opposed to the plan of viaducts, but it seemed to be perfectly clear that nothing but viaducts would relieve the railroads stood ready to build the viaducts without expense to the city.

Mr. Louis Wahl, however, thought that he would like to hear from the railway officials. They wanted viaducts, but the people were opposed to them, and had a right to be consulted in the matter. There were other ways to settle the difficulty. Dr. Jones' article in Tuesday's TRIBUNE covered the ground exactly. Let a tunnel be built, but some accident occurred at Sixteenth street. The noise of the steam and whistles and ringing of bells would not be heard in a tunnel like viaducts. He did not see why the railway company could not push on the tunnel under the river and Sixteenth street, and have the dirt being carried out in cars. Europe, and it should be adopted in California. It would be for the good of the railroads as well as the public. The scheme was perfectly feasible, and ought to be adopted. Citizens had petitioned the Council to see what horse power or could be used, and now was the question to be considered to-day. They wanted to get rid of the nuisance, but it seemed to be perfectly clear that nothing but viaducts would be built. The city could not be asked to build the viaducts, and the railroads stood ready to build them without expense to the city.

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Mr. Harris said that it often happened that after a thing was done, it was found that it could be done better. He had no doubt that the viaducts would be better to put above ground, and not below.

Mr. North said he thought the estimate of $3,000,000 altogether too large. The plan seemed to be feasible, and not extremely difficult of accomplishment.

Mr. Harris suggested that the City Engineer should be instructed to prepare estimates.

Mr. Hathaway put in a word for the side-tracks. The over-side tracks of the railroads were a far greater nuisance. He was opposed to viaducts.

Mr. Mitchell, of the Illinois Central, stated that the franchise was originally owned by that road, but the line was now operated by three other roads,—the Michigan Central, C. B. & Q., and Chicago & North-western. He was certain that the use of horse-power was utterly impracticable.

Peter Page, Esq., thought it would be necessary to make the viaduct higher than nine feet above the street grade, as no provision had been made for a railing. He suggested that public safety would be a strong enough to compel the railroads to conform to the public comfort, convenience, and benefit.

Mr. Harris insisted that the pod of the viaduct would be nine feet above the street grade, with no truss worth mentioning.

Mr. Page said that he lived and owned property on the line of the road, and he was certainly opposed to viaducts.

Mr. North inquired whether the city or the railroad companies were liable for the damages resulting from viaducts.

Mr. Harris answered this by asking another question: whether, in case of property benefited by viaducts, the railroad would derive that benefit.

Ald. Otis said that heretofore the city had been held liable for damages.

Ald. Woodman inquired if the city had ever paid any damages.

Mr. Harris believed that no claims had ever been advanced to collection. Property had been so greatly benefited that citizens did not push their claims.

Ald. Otis said that he would rather pay $16,000 toward a tunnel than to have viaducts built. This would be only $5 per foot for all the property owned by him on Michigan and Wabash avenues.

Mr. Harris had no doubt that there were plenty of lots which would be damaged 50 per cent by the construction of bridges across the river.

The Committee then adjourned.

THE STANDARD.

First Reception of the Season at Standard Club Hall—An Elegant Affair.

The Standard Club held their first reception in the new club rooms, last evening. The old Standard Hall, which acquired a certain notoriety as the headquarters of the Aid and Relief Society, has been metamorphosed into fine club rooms. The rooms formerly occupied by the Executive Committee of the Relief Society now constitute the ladies' parlor, which is magnificently furnished. Directly opposite is the library, under the charge of Mr. Julius Rosenthal, where

may be found the choicest standard works and periodicals. The balance of the rooms on this floor have been fitted up as chess and card rooms, billiard rooms, etc.

The billiard room, bowling alley, kitchen and bar room are down stairs, and are each fitted up in an attractive manner.

The main hall, occupied as a theatre last winter, is made quite convenient to the enterprising proprietors of the club rooms. The wall have been finely frescoed, and, as it appears at present, affords capacious dancing room. The stage still remains in the hall, as during the coming winter the club will give literary entertainments and amateur theatricals.

The club is composed in the most liberal construction of the term. Originally formed of the best Jewish element, it now numbers in its membership Hebrews and Christians. The following gentlemen have been selected to officiate as officers for the ensuing year: H. L. Frank, President; Joseph Gribbin, Vice President; R. Rosenthal, Treasurer; B. M. Schaffner, Secretary.

The Executive Committee is composed of the following gentlemen: E. Cohn, J. Spiegel, H. Goodman.

The reception proved a most pleasant affair. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock, after which the members of the club adjourned to a bountiful repast, where the festivities were continued until a late hour.

EPISCOPALIANISM.

Second Day's Session of the Diocesan Convention—Miles Travelled and Sermons Preached by the Bishop—Report of the Chancellor of the Diocese on Christ Church.

MORNING SESSION.

The exercises of the day of the Episcopal Diocese Convention, were opened with morning prayer, conducted by Rev. John Wilkinson. Prayer and creed by Rev. W. C. Hopkins. The first and second lessons were read by Rev. A. D. Robinson, of London, England. Prayer after creed by Rev. John Wilkins. Litany sung by Rev. Dr. Corbyn.

During the services, Mr. Fred. Neeley, brother of Bishop Neeley, of Maine, was prostrated by an epileptic fit, but a physician being sent for, he soon recovered, and was sent to the residence of his brother.

At 11 o'clock the President, Rt. Rev. Bp. Whitehouse, called the Convention to order; six additional clergymen and several lay delegates answered to their names.

The Bishop then proceeded to make the third part of the annual charge, which had special reference to his twenty years in the Episcopacy of the Diocese, and contained a summarized statement of the growth and progress of the work in the Diocese. During the past year, 1,000 miles have been ridden by the Bishop, who has preached 3 800 sermons, and confirmed 2,167 persons. His average salary has been $1,200.

Hon. B. Olis offered the following, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the portion of the Bishop's address relating to the condition of the Diocese, be referred to a Committee of five, consisting of two clergymen and two laymen, the Bishop acting as Chairman *ex-officio*.

Various bills were referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Standing Committee of the Diocese made their report, through their Chairman, Rev. E. Sullivan.

The Treasurer of Diocesan Missions reported having received $1,309.11; disbursements, $894.07; balance, $315.04.

The Treasurer's report was read, and referred to the appropriate Committee.

The following appointments were announced by the following Committee:

Catholic Subjects—Rev. H. C. Kenny, Rev. Dr. Sparrow, Rev. Mr. Townsend, Rev. Mr. Dean, Messrs. S. C. Judd, S. P. Lee, C. Gilbert, Messrs. S. C. Judd, S. P. Lee, C. Gilbert.

Twenty Years—Rev. Dr. Sparrow, Rev. Dr. Chase, Rev. Mr. Townsend, Rev. Mr. Dresser, S. H. Treat, E. M. Clark, Reuben Taylor.

The following is the report of the Chancellor of the Diocese in reference to Christ's Church:

To the Rt. Rev. Bishop of Illinois:

The undersigned, Chancellor of Illinois, would respectfully report to the Bishop, that in compliance with the resolution of the last Annual Convention, requesting the Chancellor of the Diocese to institute proceedings to prevent the further diversion and maladministration of the property and revenues of the Parish of Christ Church, Chicago, and to effect the rescue of the same for their legitimate and godly uses, he prepared and filed in the Circuit Court of Cook County, a bill in chancery for an injunction to accomplish the end desired. The bill was filed in the name of Allen Cleveland, Jr., Cleveland, Jr., and against the vestrymen, and the Treasurer of the parish, as defendants. Owing to considerations which arose after the bill was filed, and a motion for a preliminary injunction entered. The argument upon the motion was postponed by the Circuit Justice of the Court for the 18th day of June then following. On the day last indicated, an answer to the bill was filed, and demurrer, and replication to the answer, on behalf of Mr. Cheney and the Treasurer of the Parish, Mr. Miller, was filed on the same day. The demurrer to the bill of complaint necessarily brought up for discussion the entire merits of the case; hence the demurrer and replication, and the temporary injunction were considered together before the Court, the discussion occupying the time from the 20th day of June to the 28th, the undersigned representing the complainants. Upon the conclusion of the arguments of counsel, the Court was taken under advisement by the Court, and held until the 29th of July, when a decision was rendered denying the motion for a temporary injunction, but retaining the bill for argument. The non-junction, but retaining the bill for argument. The non-junction was the effect only of postponement of the exercise of the power of the Court, as the case was taken under advisement, until the case should be heard on the bill of complaint, until the case should be heard on its merits; for all the facts averred in the bill were admitted to be true and asserted to be susceptible of easy proof, and Chief Justice Williams, in an elaborate and able opinion, upon the hearing, indicated clearly the views of Mr. Cheney and Miller, triumphantly vindicated and sustained the position and theory on which the bill was framed, and the complaint was founded. The bill and complaint stated in the most concise and explicit manner the facts and circumstances which constituted a breach of trust from the syllabus of the same as published:

Where it appears that a local church and the Rector thereof, and the members, and under the supervision and control of a general and superior Church organization, by voluntarily attached themselves, those who continue to the faith and discipline of the latter, and who remain in communion with the same are the trustees hold the church property, although they cease to be members of the particular church, and that in case proper ecclesiastical tribunals have obtained jurisdiction, and have tried and passed upon the question, the Civil Courts will not only recognize the validity of, but give effect to, the decisions of the church council.

The last proposition relates, of course, to cases in which property rights are involved. You will allow me to say, in this connection, that through you the Church in the diocese, that your well-directed efforts to vindicate and sustain the rights of the Church, and to defeat the schismatic and wicked rebellion, are gratefully appreciated by those who constitute this manifestly about to be crowned with complete success. The bill of complaint, which was required to answer the bill of complaint, and the case now rests for decision upon the demurrer to the bill for want of sufficiency. As the litigation is not yet terminated, and as the services of the Committee appointed by the Bishop, at the last Convention will probably be needed in the future, I beg to ask that you will recommend the Convention, at its present session, to continue the Committee with the powers before conferred.

Respectfully submitted,
S. COMMING JUDD,
Chancellor of the Diocese.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.

The Convention then took a recess.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Rev. Dr. Corbyn presented the clerical delegate to the General Convention.

A resolution was offered that the Committee on Equalization be instructed to table showing the actual value of the taxable property of each diocese at the next Convention.

The resolution brought up a long discussion, which was taken part in by many clerical and lay delegates, and finally adopted.

The Bishop reported the appointments of two Deans, which were confirmed.

Recess until 7:30 p. m.

EVENING SESSION.

By a vote of the last Convention, one evening of the present session was set apart for a parish missionary meeting. The proceedings were commenced by singing the 532d Hymn, "How Beauteous are Their Feet!" Prayer was then offered by the Bishop.

Rev. Dr. Bishop then entered a general statement of the missionary work expected to be performed, and gave his views in detail as to the best method to adopt to help the missions, which he said were in their infancy. He exhorted the rich churches to help the poor ones. Additional missions in the rural districts who were crying out for assistance.

Rev. Clinton Locke, D.D., Rector of Trinity Church, made a few remarks, upon by the Bishop, and said the subject of missionary work was one that should enlist the active sympathies of the Christian people. He then spoke in detail of the condition of the suburban towns in Cook County, and the city of Elgin, which had no church, or at present, but might be furnished with a minister each alternate Sunday, or at least monthly, from Chicago.

Rev. J. L. Townsend, of Peoria, was the next speaker, and pictured in glowing terms the beautiful scenery to the Church by a few energetic pastoral duties, which were yet in their infancy.

Rev. S. Chase, D. D., of Robin's Nest, Ill., entered into a detailed statement of the missionary work with which he had been connected, and said that during the past few years his labors had not been crowned with all the success he desired. He urged a more diligent effort to supply parishes who are as yet without a minister.

Rev. J. N. Morrison, D. D., of Bloomington, Ill., said he was present at the Convention when Bishop Whitehouse was elected Assistant Bishop, some twenty years ago. He gave some interesting incidents of the Assistant Bishop in the past, and thought the progress of the Church during that period of time had been wonderful.

Rev. D. Sandford, of Trinity Church, Chicago, then gave his views at length as to the most feasible means of making the missionary work a complete success. He advocated having only a traveling, missionary, whose duty it should be to travel throughout the State.

Rev. F. W. Gregg, of Springfield, gave some personal experiences of the missionary work in his section of the State.

Rev. John Hazlehurst, of Plymouth, Wis., then addressed the Convention, urging that the ministers should devote their spare time to visiting fields where there were no services. He thought that through the sentiments and resolves of the Convention to-night, toward the greater efficiency of the Church, would be crowned with abundant success.

Rev. Dr. Bishop then expressed his satisfaction at the evening's proceedings, and hoped that all would be found in attendance at the next missionary meeting.

The Convention then took a recess until 10 o'clock this morning, at which time the Convention will again be called to order.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

An Escaped Brid